



Jubilee Seminar Young Alumni Panel Friday, September 4



Emily Davidson, JMU 2025

Associate Specialist, Engineering, Merck

Emily Davidson is a 2025 graduate of James Madison University and an Associate Specialist in Engineering at Merck. After completing internships with Merck during her junior and senior years, she joined the company full time and now works in Investigational Laboratory Services. In her role, she analyzes manufacturing samples using techniques including SEM-EDS, FTIR, XRF, and light microscopy and prepares materials characterization reports.



Max Garcia, JMU 2024

Chemist, National Ground Intelligence Center

Max Garcia is a 2024 graduate of James Madison University with a degree in Chemistry. He is now a Forensic Materials Scientist at the U.S. Army's National Ground Intelligence Center (NGIC) in Charlottesville, where he uses scientific instrumentation and analytical techniques to characterize unknown materials recovered from foreign battlefield assets and contributes to forensic intelligence reports.



Seth Mars, JMU 2024

Laboratory Specialist, UVA IFAB Cleanroom

Seth Mars is a 2024 graduate of James Madison University with a degree in Chemistry. He works in the Electrical and Computer Engineering Department at the University of Virginia, where he supports research on superconducting digital logic circuits in the IFAB Cleanroom. Outside of work, he enjoys spending time with friends, exploring the outdoors, and traveling.

**Meet the Speaker
Seminar**

**2:00 pm, PCB 3144
3:30 pm, King 159**